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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 20 October 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

Open-ended Meeting of the Group of the Friends of the Chairman

10 a.m. 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

FIRST COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	6th meeting	Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items:

Agenda items [57] (A/48/27); [58] (A/48/222, 271); [59] (A/48/126, 128, 133-S/25556, 291-S/26242 and Corr.1 and 2, 484-S/26552; [60] (A/48/366); [61] (A/48/62, 67-S/25118, 71, 121, 291-S/26242 and Corr. 1 and 2, 311, 477, 480-S/26547; [62] (A/48/360); [63] (A/48/291-S/26242 and Corr. 1 and 2); [64] (A/48/227 and Add.1, 272-S/26108, 477); [65] (A/48/297, 381, 484-S/26552); [66] (A/48/484-S/26552, A/C.1/48/3, A/C.1/48/4); [67]; [68] (A/48/256); [69] (A/C.1/48/3); [70] (A/48/305); [71] (A/48/86, 115-S/25419, 119-S/25439, 131-S/25552, 135-S/25581, 137-S/25593, 154-S/25614, 157-S/25665, 160-S/25734 and Corr.1, 165-S/25762, 166-S/25767, 171 and Add.1 and 2, 179-S/25853, 190-S/25890, 222, 228, 260, 272-S/26108, 291-S/26242, 300-S/26262, 324, 400, 477, 480-S/26547, 484-S/26552, A/C.1/48/3);[72](A/48/137-S/25593,294-S/26247, 326, 346, 412, 477, 484-S/26552); [73] (A/48/27, 42, 270, 325, 358, 388, 477); [74]; [75] (A/48/209-S/25937, 389); [76]; [77] (A/48/353-S/26372); [78] (A/48/29,477);[79](A/48/58-S/25024,59-S/25047, 65-S/25102, 66-S/25117, 69-S/25167, 73-S/25193 and Corr.1, 79-S/25247, 85-S/25280, 87-S/25299, 89-S/25319, 94, 97-S/25381, 99-S/25382, 111-S/25394, 127-S/25522, 140-S/25597, 155-S/25627, 169-S/25787, 180-S/25856, 205-S/25923, 206-S/25932, 212, 213-S/25962, 257-S/26070, 265, 290-S/26234, 294-S/26247, 316 and Add.1, 353-S/26372, 356, 357, 379-S/26411, 397-S/26441, 395-S/26439, 402-S/26446, 477); [80] (A/48/94, 138-S/25596, 294-S/26247, 304-S/26290, 330, 347-S/26357, 357, 390, 404-S/26452,480-S/26547);[81](A/48/291-S/26242 and Corr.1 and 2); [82] (A/48/371).

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m.*	7th meeting	Conference Room 2

1. Effects of atomic radiation (A/48/46 and A/C.4/48/L.2) [83]

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* Immediately following the adjournment of the meeting, the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples will hold informal consultations on its recommendations relating to agenda items 117 and 118 (Aide-mémoire 24/93 and Add.1).

2. Science and peace (A/C.4/48/L.3) [89]

3. Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations [90]

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	15th meeting	Conference Room 2

1. Development and international economic cooperation [91 (Part II)]

   (b) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s (A/48/333)

   (c) Effective mobilization and integration of women in development (A/48/70-E/1993/16, A/48/393)

   (d) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries (A/48/39 (Supplement No. 39), A/48/491)

   Human Resources Development [104] (A/48/309, A/48/364)

2. Development and international economic cooperation [91 (Part I)]

   Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.3

3. International conference on the financing of development [97]

   Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.4

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	12th meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Organization of work

2. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disables persons and the family [109] (A/48/24, A/48/56-E/1993/6, A/48/207, A/48/289, A/48/291, A/48/293, A/48/462, A/48/476, A/48/ 484, E/1993/50/Rev.1, A/C.3/48/L.2, L.3, L.4)

   Continuation of general discussion

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	15th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Question of responsibility for attacks on United Nations and associated personnel and measures to ensure that those responsible for such attacks are brought to justice [152] (A/48/144; A/C.6/48/L.2; A/C.6/48/L.3)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC2-1860
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC2-1860

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND COORDINATION

Thirty-third session

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Programme questions [4]

(a) Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 (in fascicle form)

A/48/6: Consideration of Sections 8 (DPCSD), 11b (ITC) and 11a (UNCTAD)

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room A

3 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room A

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

3 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

OTHER MEETINGS

AFRICAN GROUP: GROUP OF EXPERTS ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

MEMBERS OF THE MOVEMENT OF NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 3

1993 UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT FELLOWSHIP, TRAINING AND ADVISORY SERVICES PROGRAMME

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room A

3 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room A

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(on item 92 and other matters)

2 p.m.-3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 3

ARAB GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(at the ambassadorial level)

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

GROUP OF 77 OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)
(on agenda item 88 (Questions relating to information))

3.30 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 1

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 21 October 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m. 33rd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Election of eighteen members of the Economic and Social Council [15 (b)].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 4

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

3 p.m.	8th meeting	Conference Room 2

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	16th meeting	Conference Room 2

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	13th meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m.	14th meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	5th meeting	Conference Room 3

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	16th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

Friday, 22 October 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m.	6th meeting	Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Slovakia and Ukraine (A/48/239) [8].

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.	34th PLENARY MEETING	Conference Room 3

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

The Fifth Committee will hold its 5th meeting on Thursday, 21 October 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3, and will hear a general introductory statement by the Under-Secretary-General for Administration and Management. The Committee will also hear the introduction of agenda item 127 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations).

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the debate on agenda item 127 are requested to contact the Secretariat of the Committee (tel.: 963-0542).

Copies of the Committee's revised programme of work (in chart form) are available to delegations at the office of the Secretary of the Committee, room 2700F.

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The DISARMAMENT COMMISSION will hold a meeting of the Bureau to consider all matters related to its organizational session, in particular a draft resolution to the current session of the General Assembly. The meeting will take place on Thursday, 21 October 1993, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room E. Members of the Expanded Bureau are invited to attend.

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There will be informal consultations (closed) on legal matters pending before the forty-eight session of the General Assembly on Monday and Tuesday, 25 and 26 October 1993 at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

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High-level plenary meetings on International drug control

The General Assembly will hold four plenary meetings on Tuesday and Wednesday, 26 and 27 October 1993, to examine, under agenda item 112 (International drug control), the status of international cooperation against the illicit production, sale, demand, traffic and distribution of narcotics and psychotropic substances.

In view of the high number of Member States already inscribed on the list of speakers, the General Assembly, at its 30th plenary meeting on 14 October 1993, *decided that the length of statements should be limited to 10 minutes.*

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The 11th PLEDGING CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT INFORMATION PROGRAMME will take place on Friday morning, 29 October, immediately following the Meeting of the First Committee in Observance of Disarmament Week. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers should notify the Secretariat of the Pledging Conference (tel.: 963-5597).

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The 1993 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, 2 and 3 November 1993, at 10 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. It would be appreciated if delegations that have not already done so would submit in writing the names of their representatives to the Secretary of the Conference, Mr. Alexandre De Barros, Room S-2963E.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 45/215, delegations wishing to address the Conference should inscribe the names of their representatives on the list of speakers, which will be open from 25 October to 1 November in Room S-2963E (tel.: 963-2320 or 963-3027).

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Resumed substantive session of 1993

The resumed substantive session of 1993 of the Economic and Social Council will be convened on Thursday, 21 October 1993, at 4 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. Items for consideration at the resumed session are contained in document E/1993/117.

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The twenty-seventh series of the Joint Meetings of the Committee for Programme and Coordination and the Administrative Committee on Coordination will be held at Headquarters on Wednesday, 27 October 1993, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The provisional agenda for the Joint Meetings will be issued in document E/1993/120. The topic of the Joint Meetings for 1993 is "Results of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development and their implications for the United Nations system" [E/1993/121].

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OTHER MEETINGS

The open-ended working group of the GROUP OF 77 on Economic and Technical Cooperation Among Developing Countries (item 91 (d)) will hold a meeting on Thursday, 21 October 1993, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. in Conference Room 9.

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The ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE will hold a meeting on Wednesday, 27 October 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5.

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Forum on Strengthening the Biological Weapons Convention

A Forum on Strengthening the Biological Weapons Convention will be held on Thursday, 21 October, from 5 p.m. to 7.15 p.m. in the Dag Hammarsjköld Library Auditorium. All interested delegations, accredited media representatives, NGO representatives and United Nations staff members are invited to attend.

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Disarmament Week Symposium

A Symposium on the occasion of the 1993 Disarmament Week is to be held on 26 and 27 October 1993, from 9.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Dag Hammarsjköld Library Auditorium. All interested delegations, accredited media representatives, non-governmental organizations representatives and United Nations staff members are invited to attend.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 19 October 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

3294th meeting

Consideration of the draft report of the Security Council to the General Assembly

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard an explanatory statement by the Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs.

The Council adopted its report to the General Assembly unanimously.

The President stated that the decision of the Council would be reflected in a note by the President of the Council, to be issued as document S/26596.

3295th meeting

The situation in Georgia

Letter dated 13 October 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Georgia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/26576)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Georgia, at his request, to participate in the discussion of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/26592, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Council then proceeded to the vote on the draft resolution (S/26592).

Decision: The draft resolution (S/26592) received 15 votes and was adopted as Security Council resolution 876 (1993).

Following the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, France, the United Kingdom, the Russian Federation, Hungary, Japan and Spain.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

32nd plenary meeting

Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995 [47]:

(a) *Report of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations (A/48/48);*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/48/L.7);*

(c) *Draft decision (A/48/48, section III).*

The Rapporteur of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations introduced the report.

The Chairman of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.7.

Statements were made by the representatives of Ukraine, Chile, Mexico, India, Austria, Portugal, the Russian Federation, Egypt and Finland.

The representative of China took the floor on a point of order to correct the Chinese version of document A/48/48.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement regarding the programme budget implications of the draft decision contained in Section III of document A/48/48.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.7 (resolution 48/6)

The Assembly adopted the draft decision contained in Section III of the report of the Preparatory Committee (document A/48/48).

The Assembly decided to conclude this stage of its consideration of agenda item 47.

Assistance in mine clearance: draft resolution (A/48/L.5) [155]

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Community and its member States) made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.5.

Statements were made by the representatives of Afghanistan, Austria, the United States, Japan, Sierra Leone, Pakistan, Nicaragua, Ecuador, Croatia, New Zealand, Thailand, Cambodia, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and Latvia (also on behalf of Estonia and Lithuania).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.5 (resolution 48/7).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Cuba.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 155.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE — 4th meeting

General debate on all disarmament and international security items

The Committee continued its general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items and heard statements made by the observer of Switzerland, the representatives of Benin, Japan, Brazil, who in his capacity as the Chairman of the Disarmament Commission, introduced the report of the Commission (A/48/42), the Philippines, Sweden, Indonesia and the United Arab Emirates.

A statement was also made by the Executive Secretary of the Preparatory Commission for the Organization for the prohibition of chemical weapons.

5th meeting

General debate on all disarmament and international security items

The Committee continued its general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items and heard statements made by the representative of Belgium who spoke on behalf of the European Community and its Member States, the deputy State Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Hungary, the Acting Director of the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, the representative of Ecuador and the Acting Under-Secretary of State for Political Affairs of Finland.

SECOND COMMITTEE — 13th meeting

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

The Committee continued the general discussion of the item.

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada, Norway (also on behalf of Denmark, Finland, Iceland and Sweden), Brazil, the United States, Belarus, Cameroon, Egypt and Bahrain.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

The representative of Tunisia made a statement.

The Committee was reminded that the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda item 91 (Part I) (Development and international economic cooperation: Questions to be considered under the general heading of item 91) and agenda item 97 (International conference on the financing of development) would be at 1 p.m., 19 October 1993.

The Committee was reminded that the list of speakers on agenda items 91 (Part II), sub-items (b), (c), and (d), and agenda item 104 would be closed at 6 p.m., 19 October 1993.

14th meeting

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

The Committee continued the general discussion of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Bulgaria, Namibia, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Fiji, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Indonesia.

The observer for Palestine made a statement.

Statements in the exercise of right of reply were made by the representatives of Japan and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 12.

THIRD COMMITTEE — 11th meeting

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family [109]

The Committee began its consideration of the item and heard introductory statements by the Director, Social Policy Analysis Division, and Coordinator, World Summit for Social Development, Department for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development, and the Chief, Development Analysis Branch, Macro Economic and Social Policy Analysis Division, Department of Economic and Social Information and Policy Analysis.

Statements were also made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), Côte d'Ivoire and the United States.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 13th meeting

Question of responsibility for attacks on United Nations and associated personnel and measures to ensure that those responsible for such attacks are brought to justice [152]

The representative of New Zealand introduced document A/C.6/48/L.2.

The representative of Ukraine introduced document A/C.6/48/L.3.

Measures to eliminate international terrorism [140]

Statements were made by the representatives of Israel, Afghanistan, Morocco, Egypt, Jordan, Argentina, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Iraq, Qatar, Pakistan, Guyana, Kuwait and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

14th meeting

Measures to eliminate international terrorism [140]

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, Turkey, Cyprus, Peru, Romania, Benin, Uganda, The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United Arab Emirates.

The representatives of India, Pakistan, the United States and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya made statements in the exercise of the right of reply.

The representative of Pakistan spoke on a point of order.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

Question of responsibility for attacks on United Nations and associated personnel and measures to ensure that those responsible for such attacks are brought to justice [152]

Statements were made by the representatives of France, Australia, the United Kingdom, Canada, Denmark (on behalf of the Nordic countries) and Ireland.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE
Forty-ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 1 OCTOBER 1993

1263rd meeting

Opening of the session

The forty-ninth session of the Committee was declared open by the Chairman.

Adoption of the agenda [1]

The Committee adopted the provisional agenda of its session (CCPR/C/91).

Organizational and other matters [2]

The Committee adopted its programme of work for the session, heard reports by the Chairmen/Rapporteurs of the Working Groups on Communications and on Article 40, and approved the lists of issues to be taken up during the consideration of the second periodic reports of Iceland and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the third periodic reports of Japan, Norway and Romania.

1264th (closed) meeting

Consideration of communications under the Optional Protocol to the Covenant [5]

The Committee began its consideration of the item in closed session.

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